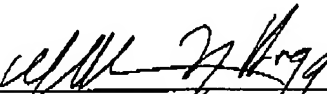


**REMARKS**

Responsive to the Examiner's restriction requirement, Applicants hereby elect claims 1-9, drawn to a semiconductor device, for prosecution in the subject application. The election is made without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

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